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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

IN THE MATTER OF THE LICENSE OF

ALEXANDER D. KIM, D.D.S.
LICENSE NO. 22DI02362500

TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY
IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry (the "Board") upon receipt of information that Alexander D. Kim, D.D.S. (hereinafter "Respondent") was charged by the Bergen County Prosecutor's Office following a complaint by a former employee ("Complainant") of boundary violations.¹ The charges were dismissed through Respondent's entry into the pre-trial intervention program ("PTI") by Order of the Superior Court of Bergen County on October 18, 2010. Respondent was admitted into PTI without admitting any factual allegations or criminal conduct.

The Board investigated this matter and considered, among other evidence, the testimony of Respondent and the Complainant at an investigative inquiry. Subsequent to those inquiries,

¹Pursuant to Board policy, the Complainant's name is redacted but her identity is known to Respondent.

Respondent submitted to a psychological evaluation at the direction of the Board. Respondent also submitted to a psychological examination in accordance with his PTI proceeding. Neither evaluation recommended any need for treatment. However, Respondent was advised to complete a comprehensive ethics course for professionals by the Board's evaluator.

On December 31, 2012, the Attorney General of New Jersey filed an administrative complaint alleging that Respondent's conduct with the Complainant constituted professional misconduct in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(e) and failure to maintain good moral character in violation of N.J.S.A. 45:6-6. Respondent denies the allegations contained in the Attorney General's complaint.

In order to avoid further formal proceedings in this matter, Dr. Kim agrees to enter into a final Consent Order, the Board finding that the terms of this final Consent Order to be adequately protective of the public health, safety and welfare, and for good cause shown;

IT IS on this 20th day of Feb March DA 2014.

ORDERED THAT:

1. The Administrative Complaint filed in this matter is hereby dismissed with prejudice and without admissions by Respondent.

2. Respondent shall, within six (6) months of the entry of this Consent Order, successfully complete either the Professional/Problem Based (ProBE) or Professional Renewal in Medicine Through Ethics ("Prime") program. "Successful completion" means that Respondent shall attend all sessions of the course, fully participate in the course and receive a final evaluation of an unconditional passing grade. Respondent shall submit to the Executive Director of the Board written verification of said successful completion of the course.

3. Respondent shall pay the Board administrative and investigative costs in the amount of \$10,063.57. Payment may be made in twelve (12) monthly installments of \$838.63 with the total amount due no later than one year from the entry of this Consent Order. Upon ten (10) days notice of default of any payment for the amounts due under this consent Order, the Board may enter a certificate of debt for any and all amounts then due and owing. The Certificate shall be discharged upon payment in full of any and all amounts required under this Consent Order. Payments shall be made by bank check or money order payable to the "State Board of Dentistry" and delivered to the Executive Director of the Board on the first day of each month following the entry of this Consent Order.

NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF DENTISTRY

By: Shirley Birenz, R.D.H.
Shirley Birenz, R.D.H.
Acting Board President

I have read the within Consent Order.
I understand the Consent Order and I
Agree to be bound by its terms and
conditions.

Alexander D. Kim, D.D.S.
Alexander D. Kim, D.D.S.

Dated: 2/20/14

Consented to as to form:

Schechner Marcus, LLP
Attorneys for Dr. Kim

Stephen H. Schechner, Esq.
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Dated: 3/10/14